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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO

JUNE 30, 2004 NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Amendment is submitted in response to the June 30, 2004 Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment. The Notice provides a period of one month for filing a response. Accordingly, a response is due July 30, 2004. Therefore, this Amendment is being timely filed. In response to the Office Action, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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